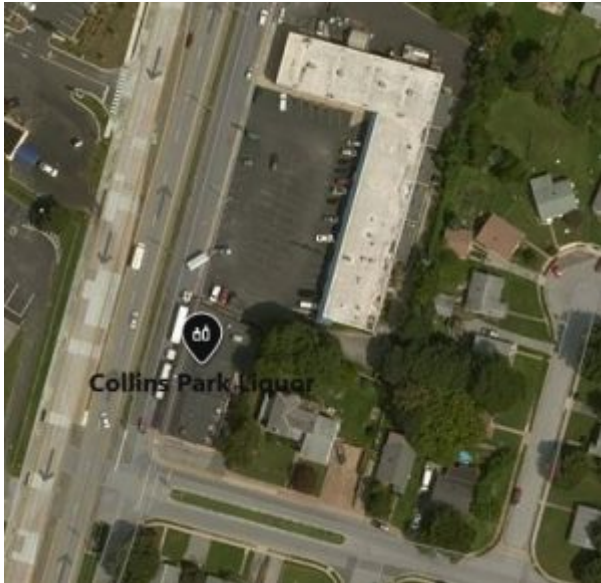


Troopers Investigating Attempted Robbery of New Castle Liquor Store



New Castle – The Delaware State Police are investigating the attempted robbery of a New Castle area liquor store that took place Wednesday night.

The incident occurred at approximately 9:58 p.m., Wednesday, December 12, 2018 at Collins Park Liquors, located at 226 New Castle Avenue. A suspect with his face concealed approached an employee at the sales counter, implied he had a weapon and demanded cash. The employee refused to comply with the demand at which time the suspect exited the business and fled on foot in an unknown direction. The suspect did not obtain any cash or property and the employee was not injured as a result of the incident.

The suspect was described as a black male, wearing all dark clothing to include a cloth concealing his face.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact the Troop 2 Robbery Unit at 302-365-8566.

Information may also be provided by calling Delaware crime stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at <http://www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com>

If you or someone you know is a victim or witness of crime or have lost a loved one to a sudden death and are in need of assistance, the Delaware State Police Victim Services Unit/Delaware Victim Center is available to offer you support and resources 24 hours a day through a toll free hotline 1800 VICTIM-1. (1800 842-8461). You may also email the unit Director at debra.reed@delaware.gov.

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